## UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO EASTERN DIVISION

In re:

Case Nos. 17-52170 and 17-52177

Data Cooling Technologies, LLC, et al.

(Jointly Administered)

Debtors.

Chapter 11

RESERVATION OF RIGHTS OF TSS TECHNOLOGIES, INC. IN RESPONSE TO MOTION OF DATA COOLING TECHNOLOGIES, LLC, FOR AN ORDER (A) AUTHORIZING THE SALE OF THE THERMOTECH ASSETS FREE AND CLEAR OF ALL LIENS, CLAIMS, ENCUMBRANCES AND INTERESTS; (B) AUTHORIZING THE ASSUMPTION AND ASSIGNMENT OF CERTAIN EXECUTORY CONTRACTS AND UNEXPIRED LEASES; (C) APPROVING EXPENSE REIMBURSEMENT; AND (D) GRANTING RELATED RELIEF

TSS Technologies, Inc. ("TSS"), by and through undersigned counsel, submits its reservation of rights to the Debtor's Motion For an Order (a) Authorizing the Sale of the Thermotech Assets Free and Clear of All Liens, Claims, Encumbrances and Interests; (b) Authorizing the Assumption and Assignment of Certain Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases; (c) Approving Expense Reimbursement; and (d) Granting Related Relief (the "Thermotech Sale Motion")[Docket No. 156].

TSS is a creditor of the Debtor by virtue of a business relationship arising out of a Manufacturing Agreement. TSS has no present business relationship with the Thermotech division of the Debtor and has no opposition to the Thermotech Sale Motion. However, TSS has issues with the characterization of certain of its assets that have, it would appear, been characterized as inventory of the Debtor and subject to being sold by the DCT-side of the Debtor. TSS has been in the process of working through those issues vis a vis the proposed sale of the non-Thermotech assets through the Debtor's Motion For an Order (a) Authorizing the Sale

of the Data Cooling Assets Free and Clear of all Liens, Claims, Encumbrances and Interests; (b) Authorizing the Assumption and Assignment of Certain Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases; (c) Approving Expense Reimbursement; and (d) Approving Settlement and Release of Claims with KyotoCooling North America LLC; (e) Granting Related Relief (the "DCT Sale Motion")[Docket No. 162]. The deadline to respond to the DCT Sale Motion is November 27, 2017.

J&J Mission Critical, LLC has submitted an offer to purchase the assets of Thermotech and some of the remaining assets of DCT by virtue of its Response filed on November 16, 2017 (the "J&J Offer") [Docket No. 177]. The objection deadline for the Thermotech Sale Motion is November 17, 2017 at noon and the Sale Hearing is scheduled for November 21, 2017. In that the remaining DCT assets are under a different response and hearing schedule that are past these deadlines, TSS files this reservation of rights with respect to its arguments regarding whether certain of its assets are properly includable in the sale of the assets of DCT and, if so, who is entitled to the sale proceeds attributable to them. This is done in the event that the DCT assets included in the J&J Offer are adjudicated as part of the Thermotech Sale Motion proceedings as presently scheduled. Assuming the Thermotech sale proceedings are confined to Thermotech assets (as defined in the Thermotech Sale Motion), TSS has no objection to the Debtor selling those assets in any fashion authorized by the Court.

Wherefore, TSS explicitly reserves all rights with respect to the sale of DCT assets.

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## PROOF OF SERVICE

This is to certify that a copy of the foregoing Limited Opposition of TSS Technologies, Inc. to Motion Of Data Cooling Technologies, LLC, for an Order (A) Authorizing the Sale of the Thermotech Assets Free and Clear of All Liens, Claims, Encumbrances and Interests; (B) Authorizing the Assumption and Assignment of Certain Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases; (C) Approving Expense Reimbursement; and (D) Granting Related Relief has been sent via the Court's electronic filing system on this 17th day of November, 2017, to the parties referenced below.

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